



DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. LEGACY AWARD NOMINATION FORM

PURPOSE OF AWARD:

To recognize and affirm those who have made significant contributions in the areas of race relations, justice, and/or human rights.

CRITERIA:

1. Nominee must have been a Monroe County resident, business, or advocacy group for at least one year.
2. Nominee has been personally or corporately involved in making tangible, visible, and meaningful contributions to the advancement of race relations, justice, and/or human rights causes.

PERSON OR ORGANIZATION BEING NOMINATED:

Name:
Address:
Phone:
E-mail Address:

NOMINATED BY:

Name:
Address:
Phone:
E-mail Address:
Signature:

Date:

PLEASE EXPLAIN REASONS FOR NOMINATING THIS PERSON ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER, AND RETURN BY JAN. 8, 2010 TO:

Special Projects Coordinator, Community and Family Resources
P. O. Box 100, Bloomington, IN 47402

Nominations may also be submitted on-line at www.bloomington.in.gov/cfrd

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FREQUENCY OF AWARD

This award is presented annually at the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Celebration to the Monroe County resident, business, or advocacy group chosen by the City of Bloomington's Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Celebration Commission.

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NOMINATIONS PROCESS

1. Anyone can make a nomination.
2. All nominations must be verified with person making nomination.
3. **The Deadline for submitting nominations is January 8, 2010.**

SELECTION PROCESS

1. The Award Committee reviews all nominations and recommends finalists for the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Celebration Commission to consider. The Commission makes the final selection. Any member of either the Award Committee or Commission who is nominated for the award must excuse themselves from discussions and voting during the selection process. Likewise, any immediate family members must also excuse themselves from the decision-making process.
2. The Award Committee shall notify the winner in January and invite the winner to attend the Birthday Celebration.
3. The Mayor of the City of Bloomington or the Chair of the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Celebration Commission will present the award at the Birthday Celebration.

PAST WINNERS

PAST WINNERS INCLUDE BLOOMINGTON UNITED, THE MONROE COUNTY BRANCH OF THE NAACP, GUY AND CONNIE LOFTMAN, THE REV. E. D. BUTLER, THE REV. MICHAEL ANDERSON, THE MONROE COUNTY RACIAL JUSTICE TASK FORCE, THE BANNEKER HISTORY PROJECT, DR. JAMES MUMFORD, DR. CHARLIE NELMS, KENNETH W. THOMAS, AND WFHB COMMUNITY RADIO.



CITY OF BLOOMINGTON